

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

In re:	:	
DWAYNE R. HAGERTY	:	Case No. 17-21538-GLT
and	:	Chapter 13
SALLY E. HAGERTY,	:	Related to Dkt. No. 84
<i>Debtors.</i>	:	Hearing: December 5, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.
	:	Response: November 21, 2018

**ORDER HOLDING UDREN LAW OFFICES
IN CONTEMPT AND SECOND
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

This matter is before the Court on its *Order to Show Cause Against Udren Law Offices* [Dkt. No. 84] (“Order”) issued on October 11, 2018. The *Order* required that a representative of Udren Law Offices appear at a hearing on November 7, 2018 and show cause why it should not be held in contempt for its failure to respond to inquiries that Debtors made to Udren’s client, PNC Bank, concerning a loan modification. The *Order* also noted that a representative of Udren had failed to appear at a status conference to address this matter on October 10, 2018, where its presence was specifically required.

At the November 7 hearing, no representative for Udren appeared. PNC’s new counsel stated that he believed Udren Law Offices was no longer practicing law. The Court notes, however, that none of the attorneys from Udren who have entered an appearance in this case have sought leave of the Court to withdraw from their representation. Moreover, regardless of whether Udren is still practicing, it is not relieved of its duties to comply with the orders of this Court, nor is it free to disregard them with impunity.

Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby **ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED** that:

1. As a result of its failure to abide by the Court's *Order to Show Cause*, Udren Law Offices is hereby held in contempt. A \$500 fine is imposed, payable to the Clerk of Court, 5414 U.S. Steel Tower, 600 Grant St., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15219. This fine shall be paid by **November 21, 2018**.

2. A hearing is scheduled for **December 5, 2018** at **10:00 a.m.** in Courtroom A, U.S. Steel Tower, 54th Floor, 600 Grant St., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15219. An attorney of Udren Law Offices who has previously entered an appearance in this case shall appear and show cause why it should not be subject to additional sanctions, up to and including a daily fine of \$100 until such a time as this Court deems it to have purged its contempt.

3. On or before **November 21, 2018**, Udren Law Offices shall file any response to this *Second Order to Show Cause*.

Dated: November 8, 2018



GREGORY L. TADDONIO
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Case administrator to mail to:
Udren Law Offices, P.C.
David Neeren, Esq.
Sherri J. Braunstein, Esq.
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United States Bankruptcy Court
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CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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Date Rcvd: Nov 08, 2018

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Nov 10, 2018.

+David Neeren, Esq., Udren Law Offices, P.C., 111 Woodcrest Rd., Suite 200,
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NONE.

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Nov 10, 2018

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on November 8, 2018 at the address(es) listed below:

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